
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order applies in England only and comes into force on 16th December 2005.

The Order revokes, in so far as they apply in England, the Litter (Fixed Penalty Notices) Order 1991 (S.I. [1991/111](#)) and the Dog Fouling (Fixed Penalties) Order 1996 (S.I. [1996/2763](#)) (*article 2*). Those Orders prescribed the form of the fixed penalty notices capable of being issued by the authorised officers of litter authorities (for the purposes of section 88 of the Environmental Protection Act 1990) and of local authorities (for the purposes of section 4 of the Dogs (Fouling of Land) Act 1996) to persons whom they reasonably believed to have committed an offence under section 87 (leaving litter) of the Act of 1990 or under section (3) (being in charge of a dog which defecates on designated land and failing to remove the faeces) of the Act of 1996.

A Regulatory Impact Assessment has not been prepared in respect of this Order.